

## PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION HAS GOOD MEETING

The Mothers Club or Parent-Teacher association had a very interesting session at the Central school building, Friday afternoon. There was a good attendance. The hostesses, Mrs. Earl Ladd, Mrs. J. E. Sater and Mrs. M. J. Hale, served a delicious lunch after the program, Octavia Hale and Ruth Sater assisting.

The meeting opened with roll call to which the members responded with patriotic quotations. This was followed by music by Ethel King and May Wrightman.

Miss Demmah Hamilton, teacher in the seventh grade, gave a talk on Hygiene and Sanitation touching upon teaching the child habits of cleanliness, care of eyes and teeth, correct positions in sitting, walking and standing, adenoids, and other matters of importance for healthful children.

Mrs. Philip Davis had an interesting paper on the Use of the Play Ground. Monett does not yet have a supervised play ground but Mrs. Davis thinks that one can be secured here as well as in other places and cited instances where they were secured under greater difficulties than are found in a country town. In New York City, every nineteenth block outside of the busy business district, is closed to traffic at a certain time each week and cleaned for the use of the children for play under efficient supervision. She stated that play was essential to the proper development of childhood and if properly supervised and controlled they will receive instruction as well as pleasure and their thoughts will be directed in the right channels.

Mrs. H. A. Gardner spoke on "Responsibility as a Chaperone," making the point that a child should be so trained in right thinking and acting that his own judgment would direct him in right conduct. Some discussion of this subject was entered into by the ladies.

Dr. Ida B. Johnson favored the club with a sensible and intensely interesting talk on "Constructiveness vs. Destructibility," as relating to health of body, mind and soul. Her first point was "happiness." A spirit of discontent breeds disease and a spirit of happiness conduces to health. Proper food is essential but it loses some of its digestibility if not seasoned with good fellowship, humor and wit.

Another constructive force is fresh air and pure water. Fresh air, the freest of God's gifts to man, is used the most sparingly.

Her advice to the devoted mother was to take time for recreation and relaxation aside from her household duties. She wants to make her family happy and comfortable but not at the expense of her own welfare and pleasure. Tired nerves are the most common cause for grouching. Seventy-five per cent of the women in insane asylums are there because of the monotony and drudgery of home life.

She ended her highly interesting address with the admonition to be charitable on all occasions to all people. High ideals lived out make a happy and wholesome life.

The club was very appreciative of the common sense and instructive talk from the Doctor who has been a teacher in high schools as well as a busy physician.

## ROCKY COMFORT

Live news from that busy city by our live correspondent.

J. M. Kelley of Wheaton was transacting business here yesterday.

Harry Brown is here today buying horses and mules.

Mrs. P. S. Potts of Wheaton was here yesterday having dental work done.

C. C. Fawver of Seligman, was in town yesterday on business.

J. B. McNeill of near Simcoe was transacting business here, yesterday.

James Scantlin of near Powell is transacting business here today.

James Duncan and wife of near Exeter were Rocky Comfort visitors yesterday.

## BLUE RIBBON.

Mrs. Henry McGrath is confined to her bed as the result of a fall, whereby she broke three ribs. Her daughter, Miss Nellie McGrath, came home from St. Joseph to care for her.

## BARRY COUNTY COURT

County Court convened in regular session Monday with Judges Finn, Storck and Zinn, Sheriff Brixey and County Clerk Jeffries present.

The following proceedings were had: State Auditor ordered by court to draw warrant to W. F. Wardlaw for \$2486.98, amount of apportionment of state school monies.

In the matter of road petition of J. H. Andrew, et al, engineer ordered to view proposed road and report to court.

Application of J. S. Riddle et al, for new roads, survey ordered.

Court agrees to give \$100 for improving 1 mile of public road between sections 15 and 22, \$100 donated by citizens.

Order made consolidating road districts 18 and 19 rescinded.

Resignation of Jas. A. Sapp as County Highway Engineer accepted J. C. Henry appointed as his successor.

Highway Engineer ordered to inspect right of way offered by J. C. McQuary.

New road located by County Engineer in sec. 10, twp. 24, range 25, approved and ordered established.

Ordered that a poll tax of \$4.50 in cash be levied upon every able bodied man over 21 years and under 50 years. Compensation for road work shall be as follows: Overseer, 25c per hour, single hand, 15c per hour, for man with team 30c per hour.

The following were exempt from road work: W. D. Wainright, W. H. Alsbrook, R. J. Ethridge.

Reports of all county officers filed and approved.

Ordered by court that name of Sugar Creek township be changed to Seligman.

In the matter of petition of Rando Garrett and C. C. Howerton for Public road, survey ordered.

Wm. C. Robertson appointed superintendent at county farm for 1 year, salary \$55. Bond approved.

School loan granted M. V. Baker for \$600.

Engineer ordered to investigate necessity of bridge asked for in district 22. Also ordered to inspect bridge on Woodwards Creek and make report.

Account of Dr. Russell for \$25.50 disallowed.

School loan of C. W. Higginbotham being paid ordered released, new loan granted for \$500.

District No. 23 changed to special road district, R. B. Bassett, C. Al Williams and J. M. Williams appointed commissioners.

Resignation of B. F. McCary as J. P. at Washburn accepted. J. A. Roller appointed.

Overseers ordered to post notices as to time to collect poll taxes.

Final settlements were made with the following road overseers and were paid as follows: W. F. Patterson, \$19.15; Sherman Anderson, \$96.85; F. S. Whittington, \$56.25; E. B. Holman, \$49.40; Silas Ball, \$21.40; S. A. Woodruff, \$123.17; George Long, \$76.80; O. D. Cope, \$34.80; John Head, \$25.15; Thos. Painter, \$55.00; T. F. Wolfenbarger, \$80.75; W. A. Cox, \$51.10; T. J. Stockton, \$46.10; Fred Cole, \$212.85; Otis Baker, \$3.30; J. B. McPhail, \$29.30.

Warrants were drawn on pauper fund for poor persons as follows: Mrs. Chas. Ring, expense, \$9.00; Steve Clark, services, \$10; Leonard Taylor, \$10; Allen Roller, \$10; Mary Banks, \$10; Catherine Ellis, \$10; H. C. Zinn, \$10; Stanley Salosnek, \$10; Delia Nelson, \$10; Mrs. Flaherty, \$10; Sam Slush, \$10; Lillie Sullivan, \$10; Frank Zinn, \$10; R. G. Eubanks, \$15; Mrs. Boston, \$10; Margaret Parks, \$10; Jake Brown, \$10; Mrs. Patton, \$10; Wm. Mahurin, \$10; W. A. Wood, \$10; Jess Tow, \$10; H. F. Weaver, \$15; Elvi Ellis, \$10; Mary Ray, \$10; Edith Madewell, \$15; Anton Baruski, \$10; Sam Barricks, \$10.

The following accounts were allowed: G. M. Brixey, board of prisoners and expenses, \$79.50; S. E. Carter, cleaning typewriters, \$5.; Leroy Jeffries, making financial statement, \$80; same for fees and salary, \$113.00; Jas. Sapp, expenses, \$3.85; same for salary, \$90; Mitchell Clothing Co., mds, \$1; D. A. Beck, wood, \$7; Dunbar-Hadley, assignees of J. C. Richardson, \$3; Cassville M & P Co., lights \$25.05; Cassville Prod. Co., floor sweep, \$5.60; W. O. Black, groceries, \$30.40; W. E. Hankins, salary, \$100;

same, expense, \$10.87; Chemo Co., disinfectant, \$30; W. F. Wardlaw, salary, \$100; J. L. VanHorn, same, \$166.66; Cassville Democrat, printing, \$11.55; Dunbar-Hadley, mds, \$15.25; W. C. Robertson, salary and expenses, \$52.25; Barry County Creamery Co., feed, \$9.05; F. N. Reese, supplies, \$20.05; J. T. Burgess, salary, \$166.66; M. L. Shepherd, same, \$40; Cassville Telephone, rent, \$2.55; Armstrong Drug Co., supplies, \$2.25; Hugh Montgomery, water rent, \$28.09; Standard Ptg. Co., supplies, \$26.13; Cassville M. & P. Co., lights, \$17.95; Jas. Sapp, expenses, \$5.50; Cassville Republican, printing, \$106.45; Whittington & Skelton, groceries for Otis Hadlow, \$10; Standard Ptg. Co., printing, \$24.13; John Ivey, labor, \$8; L. R. Smith, coal, \$52.07; same, \$101.48; Buxton & Skinner, supplies, \$4.15; P. E. Horine, burial poor person, \$24.50; same for mds, \$51.30; S. A. Newman, services, \$22; fees were allowed in the inquest of Johnnie Hall and John Lyons; King and Hutcheson, coffin, \$15.

The following were appointed road overseers in districts as follows: District 1, W. F. Patterson; 3, W. L. Barnes, 4, G. D. Banks; 5, E. B. Holman; 6, Silas Ball; 7, John Head; 8, T. F. Wolfenbarger; 9, Thos. Painter; 10, W. B. Williams; 11, T. J. Stockton; 12, W. A. Cox; 14, Bert Talbert; 15, Fred Cole; 16, Sam Autry; 18, F. S. Whittington; 19, J. B. McPhail; 20, George Long; 22, C. E. Bennett; 24, J. W. Rickman; 25, J. H. McNeeley; 26, T. F. Jackson; 27, J. Reynaud; 28, C. E. Marshall; 29, Tom Patton; 30, John Robbins; 31, Frank Golubski; 32, Alex Kewski.

The following were selected as petit jurors to serve at the March term of circuit court:

Ash, E. G. Klous; Butterfield, C. R. Long; Capps Creek, Geo. Montgomery; Crane Creek, Wiley Hilton; Corsicana, W. C. Dixon; Exeter, Furlin Freeze; Flat Creek, W. S. Price; Jenkins, H. O. Cornman; Kings Prairie, Clinton Marant; Liberty, Elmer Holt; Monett, Ami Cuend; C. A. Carlin; McDonald, J. O. Hutchens Mountain, Tom Jordan; Mineral, Grant Snider; Ozark, F. N. Reynolds; Pleasant Ridge, F. M. Rice; Purdy, Fred Rupp; Roaring River, J. E. Couch; Shell Knob, J. S. Cooper; Seligman, W. E. Wieford; Washburn, Fred Hoog; White River, Bill Lee; Wheaton, George Howard.

## Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Most Effective

"I have taken a great many bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and every time it has cured me. I have found it most effective for a hacking cough and for colds. After taking it a cough always disappears," writes J. R. Moore, Lost Valley, Ga. Obtainable everywhere. Adv.

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Gus Stalb	Neosho
Vesta Bartlow	Racine
Cecil Stalder	Joplin
Elsie Gregory	Joplin
Ernest S. Miller	Hugo, Ok.
Florence G. Paige	Neosho
Loral Kirk	Rocky Comfort
Josie Deal	Rocky Comfort
Thos. Ainlay	Neosho
Nora A. Martin	Neosho
W. D. Keese	Joplin
Blanche Hamrick	Joplin
Lewis Graham	Joplin
Mary Hamlet	Joplin
Robert S. Divers	Joplin
Coleta Welch	Kansas City
Curtis Wiseley	Holden Villa, Ok.
Mary Green	Granby
William A. King	Neosho
Veva J. Grant	Neosho
Oscar Dunaway	Sapulpa, Ok.
Nora Curran	Sapulpa, Ok.
Forest Wright	Stark City
Nina Bridges	Stark City
Sylvester Crabtree	Joplin
Lucy Mae Swisher	Neosho
Wm. P. Ahrens	Purdy
Vista McNeill	Rocky Comfort
James Peters	Joplin
Nellie Murphy	Joplin

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## ARNHART ITEMS

Josh Roller is just recovering from an attack of gripe.

Mrs. Delia Mackey visited Mrs. Sarah Marbut, Wednesday afternoon. Jim Bullington is moving back to his old home.

Several of the young people from here attended the play given at Long Friday night.

Misses Opal and Mayme Edwards visited Miss Anna Marbut, Thursday. Miss Elva Riggs visited Miss Mabel Marbut, Saturday night.

I. M. Marbut visited his sisters, Mrs. Nettie Davis and Mrs. Maude Morlan, Saturday.

We understand Rev. Carlisle will begin a series of meetings next Saturday at this place.

Willis Bowen and son have been down with the gripe.

News is scarce this week. The weather is so bad every body has to stay housed up.

We see Harry Dinkins is able to be out again after several weeks illness.

Prayer meeting every Sunday night Come out and help everyone.

Misses Mabel and Eula Marbut visited their aunt, Mrs. Jane Inman and family from Thursday till Sunday.

Misses Opal and Mayme Edwards visited Mrs. Sarah Roller, Wednesday.

We are very sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Hilburn. The bereaved ones have our heartfelt sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and children Lela and Will visited Ira Marbut Monday night.

Melvin Henson has his mill up and is doing some good work grinding and crushing corn.

The telephone lines are in a bad condition after the ice. Think they will be ready for service soon as there is some work being done on them now.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgel Whitaker of Kentucky are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Steve Harris.

## BROWN EYEE.

## RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. cow to 4-20.

## COUNCIL MEETING

The city council met Thursday afternoon and let the contract for improving the city hall. M. E. Gillioz was awarded the contract. The building will be remodeled to make room for all the city offices in one building.

At present the electric light and water works office is in one building and the police station in another, with only the city clerk and treasurer in the city hall. The new arrangement will be much more convenient for the public.

## The Habit of Taking Cold

With many people taking cold is a habit, but fortunately one that is easily broken. Take a cold sponge bath every morning when you first get out of bed—not ice cold, but a temperature of about 90 degrees F. Also sleep with your window up. Do this and you will seldom take cold. When you do take cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of it as quickly as possible. Obtainable everywhere. Adv.

## MARY WOODS' FUNERAL SATURDAY

The body of Mrs. Mary T. Woods was brought here from Monett Saturday and buried at the Sarcocoxie cemetery after funeral services had been held at the South Methodist church, conducted by the Rev. T. H. Hickman. A large number of relatives and friends were in attendance at the funeral, some coming from Monett and others from the Dry Valley neighborhood.—Sarcocoxie Record.

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## CASSVILLE NEWS

B. Katzfy of Monett, and Tony Friday of Caps Creek township, were here, Monday.

E. T. Beatty of Monett, was a business visitor in this city Monday and made this office a pleasant call.

Dr. Bailey has gone to housekeeping in his property known as the late T. D. Steele residence, on Oak street.

Mrs. W. E. Hankins closed a deal Tuesday, whereby she became the owner of Mrs. Roby E. Hawk's millinery store, the oldest establishment of that kind in Barry county.

The rock crusher recently purchased by the county court was unloaded at Exeter, yesterday and will be put to work on the road leading north of Exeter, where about 1,000 loads of rock have been hauled by C. N. Elliston of that place and placed along that road for this purpose.

Petitions are being circulated to change the county seat road from Cassville to Galena, to run out by Forest Grove, Cross Hollows and on to Jenkins. We understand the old wire road was made the inter-county seat road from Cassville to Galena and have not heard of any changes. The citizens along this road to McDowell, have been arranging with the land owners to the additional right-of-way to make the road forty feet wide.—Democrat.

## BAPTIST REVIVAL MEETING BEGINS SUNDAY

The Baptist congregation will begin their revival meeting next Sunday. The pastor, W. A. Todd, will have charge of the services and there will be a singer here to take charge of the music.

The meeting was to have started the fourteenth but on account of the meeting in progress at the Christian church, they decided to postpone it one week.

Mr. Todd is holding a series of meetings on Marshall Hill this week, in the Mission.

Mrs. Cookinham, of Rogers, Ark. was in town on business Thursday.

S. B. Hutcheson made a business trip to Miller, Friday.

Mrs. M. F. Hall is visiting her son, Roy Stocker and family, in Joplin.

Mr. Barr, of Joplin, is in town on business this week.

Frank Horton visited in Sarcocoxie the first of the week.

Misses Zula Smith and Imer Russell of Sarcocoxie, visited here, Wednesday.

B. J. Rosewater, of Cassville, was in Monett, Friday.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Maher, February 11.

Rev. Father T. J. Fortune, of Sarcocoxie Prairie, has moved to Wentworth.

Mrs. Jae Hoover and baby, of Springfield are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chapin this week.

The family of John Ferguson is moving to Myrtle street in West Monett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Edson have returned from a visit with Mrs. Edson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lux, at Sarcocoxie.

Mrs. John Pickens returned to her home at Neosho, Thursday, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Earl Callaway.

Mrs. Bill Hilton has been seriously ill this week. Her mother, Mrs. A. V. Vincent, of Fairland, Ok., is caring for her.

Joseph L. Buffington, of Peirce City, died February 5, age 86 years. He leaves a wife and two sisters. He moved to Peirce City from near Wentworth in 1902.

Joe J. Manlove, of Peirce City, is a candidate for congress from this district on the Republican ticket. He was defeated by Perl D. Decker, the Democratic candidate, two years ago.

W. L. Baugh, of Springfield, formerly of Mount Vernon, was in town on business, Friday. The Times job department printed sale bills for him for the sale of some farms near Mt. Vernon. They will be sold at auction by Auctioneer Ed Hudson, of Sarcocoxie March 26.

Judge E. B. Holman, of Mano, says the old Rock Creek road was practically washed away during the high water and that there is hardly enough ground left to construct a new one. People in that section of the county are advocating changing the road to run in a northwest direction to Shell Knob.

## Farm Loans WANTED

I have \$50,000 to loan on Lawrence and Barry County farms, at once. See me for quick service. Long time annual interest; lowest rates.

Wm. Smerdon

## BERRY PLANTS FOR SALE

Strawberry and blackberry plants. Guaranteed true to name. Certificate of inspection with each order. W. F. Rausch, R. F. D. 3, Monett, Mo. w 21 tf

For Sale:—Good Red Texas Oats, sound corn and sassafras cord wood. P. C. Stebler. Phone 908-22. w 23p

## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, that letters testamentary on the estate of David W. Courdin, deceased, were granted to the undersigned, on the 10th day of February, 1916, by the Probate Court of Barry County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate, are required to exhibit them for allowance to the administrator within six months after date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of last insertion of this publication, they will be forever barred.

This 10th day of February, 1916.

STEPHEN D. COURDIN,

Executor.

First insertion Feb. 18.

## TRUSTEES SALE

Whereas, A. B. Lewis and Bessie Lewis his wife, did by their certain deed of trust dated the 26th day of May, 1913, and recorded in Record Book No. 52, at page 283 in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Barry County, Missouri, on the 2nd day of June, 1913, conveyed to the undersigned trustee, the following described real estate situated in Barry County, Missouri, to wit: Lot numbered eight (8) in block numbered twenty-five (25) in the Monett Town Co's Townsite of Monett, Missouri, in trust however, to secure the payment of 103 certain promissory notes in said deed of trust described, and whereas, default has been made in the payment of nine of said notes and the same remain due and unpaid and whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that should the said parties fail or refuse to pay the debt or any part thereof when the same or any part thereof becomes due and payable according to the tenor, date and effect of said notes, then the whole shall become due and payable, and whereas the legal holder of said notes, on account of the default in the payment of nine of said notes, elects to declare all of said notes due. Now therefore at the request of the legal holder of said notes notice is hereby given that I will as trustee under the powers given to me by the terms of said deed of trust, on Friday, the 25th day of February, 1916, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m. and five o'clock p. m. of said day, at the door of the city hall in the city of Monett, Barry County, Missouri, proceed to sell the real estate above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash in hand for the purpose of paying and satisfying said notes and the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the costs of executing this trust.

T. D. STEELE,

Trustee.

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## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Earl Berry	Aurora
Bessie Coffey	Aurora
L. E. Adamson	Aurora
Eva Boothe	Aurora
J. H. Thomas	Bowers Mill
Dollie Taylor	Halltown
John Montgomery	Barry County
Anna McGinnis	Lawrence County
Guy Brown	Aurora
Viva Hood	Aurora

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